

Risk Factor Assessment Checklist for Reporting to NE-EHDI

Date: _____

Event type: ☐ Inpatient Screening

☐ Outpatient Screening

PLACE PATIENT LABEL HERE IF AVAILABLE

Name: _____ DOB: _____ MRN: _____

Physician: _____

Joint Committee on Infant Hearing (JCIH) Risk Factors:

Perinatal:

- ☐ Family history* of early, progressive, or delayed onset permanent childhood hearing loss
- ☐ Neonatal intensive care of more than 5 days
- ☐ Hyperbilirubinemia with exchange transfusion regardless of length of stay
- ☐ Aminoglycoside administration for more than 5 days**
- ☐ Asphyxia or Hypoxic Ischemic Encephalopathy
- ☐ Extracorporeal membrane oxygenation (ECMO)*
- ☐ In utero infections, such as herpes, rubella, syphilis, toxoplasmosis, cytomegalovirus (CMV), Zika
- ☐ Birth conditions or findings such as:
 - ☐ Craniofacial malformations including microtia/atresia, ear dysplasia, oral facial clefting, white forelock, and microphthalmia
 - ☐ Congenital microcephaly, congenital or acquired hydrocephalus
 - ☐ Temporal bone abnormalities
 - ☐ Syndromes associated with hearing loss or progressive or late-onset hearing loss. (For information on the over 400 syndromes, visit HereditaryHearingLoss.org)

Perinatal/Postnatal:

- ☐ Culture-positive postnatal infections associated with sensorineural hearing loss***, including confirmed bacterial and viral (especially herpes viruses and varicella) meningitis, or encephalitis.
- ☐ Events associated with hearing loss:
 - ☐ Significant head trauma, especially basal skull/temporal bone fractures
 - ☐ Chemotherapy*
- ☐ Caregiver concern**** regarding hearing, speech, language, or developmental delay

* Infants at increased risk of delayed onset or progressive hearing loss

**Infants with toxic levels or with a known genetic susceptibility remain at risk

***Syndromes (Van Camp & Smith, 2016)

****Parental/caregiver concern should always prompt further evaluation.

Please fax to NE-EHDI if infant has one or more risk factors:

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